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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

SIR:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated October 7, 2008 of the Primary Examiner twice or finally rejecting claims 1-7.

The items checked below are appropriate:

- 1. The time for response to the Office Action of October 7, 2008 expires on [x]April 7, 2009.
- 2. A \_-month extension of time for response to the Office Action dated \_ was filed on  $\prod$ . [No additional extensions of time are required.]
- Applicant(s) hereby request(s) a one two three-month extension of the original 3a. П shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of . Payment in the amount of for the government fee for an extension of time is enclosed herewith.
- 3b. [x]This is not the first request for an extension of time relative to the outstanding paper. The period for response has already been extended by two-months by petition dated March 9, 2009. Please extend the time for response by an additional one-month. With this extension, the deadline for filing the required paper will be April 7, 2009. Payment for the additional extension fee of \$620.00 is enclosed.

- 4. [x] Payment of the appeal fee of \$540.00
  - [] is enclosed herewith.
  - [] No additional fee is required (fee paid in prior appeal).
  - [x] Charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 03-2412.
- 5. [x] Charge any additional fees required, for example, for lodging this appeal or for filing the Appeal Brief, not otherwise paid, to Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

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